Adopted Rejected

## **COMMITTEE REPORT**

YES: 9 NO: 0

## MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on <u>Courts and Criminal Code</u>, to which was referred <u>House Bill</u>

1012 , has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

- Page 4, line 17, strike "In making the final determination of the".
- 2 Page 4, line 18, strike "sentence after receiving the jury's
- 3 recommendation, the court".
- 4 Page 4, line 18, delete "shall".
- 5 Page 4, strike lines 19 through 20 and insert "After receiving the
- 6 jury's recommendation, the court shall make a final determination
- 7 of the sentence. However, before a court pronounces sentence, a
- 8 representative of the victim's family and friends may present a
- 9 statement regarding the impact of the crime on family and friends.
- 10 The impact statement may be submitted in writing or given orally

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- 1 by the representative. The statement shall be given in the presence
- of the defendant. After the statement is given, the court shall
- 3 **pronounce sentence.**".

(Reference is to HB 1012 as introduced.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

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Representative Dvorak

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